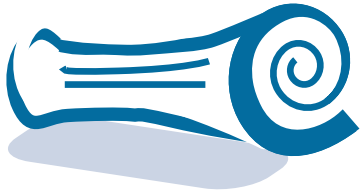


Massachusetts Recycles

Did You Know?



Every week over 200 million newspapers are thrown out in the United States, the equivalent of **500,000 trees**



Recycling **1 ton** of paper saves 17 trees, 6953 gallons of water, 463 gallons of oil, and over 580 pounds of air pollution



Americans throw away enough plastic bottles each year to circle the earth **4 times**

Recycling 1 aluminum can saves enough energy to operate a television for **3 hours**



Recycle & Help Massachusetts

Save energy

Protect natural resources

Create jobs in our communities



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Executive Office of Environmental Affairs
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